

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
 (Attorney Matter No. 04308057)

<b>Applicant:</b>	ROZIER <i>et al.</i>	<b>Examiner:</b>	Brandon Lee Jackson
<b>Application No.:</b>	10/501,604	<b>Art Unit:</b>	3772
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<b>Int'l App. No.:</b>	PCT/US03/01216		
<b>Int'l Filing Date:</b>	January 15, 2003		
<b>Title:</b>	SITE GUARD FOR INTRAVENOUS SITES AND OTHER SENSITIVE AREAS		

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND  
RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION OF NOVEMBER 27, 2007**

Dear Sir or Madam:

Applicant hereby submits a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, along with a response to the Office Action mailed November 27, 2007, in the above-referenced application. Applicant has submitted herewith a fee of \$405.00 as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). This request and response takes the following form:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3; and

**Remarks** begin on page 9.

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND FEE AUTHORIZATION**

This response is being made within a statutory five (5) months of the mailing date of the present Office Action. Accordingly, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two (2) months. In connection with this petition, Applicant has submitted herewith a fee of \$230.00 as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2). If any additional fee is deemed payable or

overpayment creditable in respect of this communication, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 13-0019. If any additional fee is required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 not accounted for above, the extension is hereby requested by petition and any such fee should also be charged to the above-listed Deposit Account.